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Transmitted herewith for filing is the ☒ Utility ☐ Design ☒ nonprovisional ☐ provisional patent application of:

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For: **GAME MACHINE CIRCUIT BOARD CASE INSPECTION METHOD, AND GAME**

# BOARD OR GAME MACHINE INSPECTION METHOD

- ☐ This is a new patent application.
- ☒ This is the 35 U.S.C. 371 National Stage Application of the above-identified PCT Application.
- ☐ This is a provisional patent application.
- ☐ This is a: ☐ Continuation Application  
☐ Divisional Application  
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of prior Application Serial No. \_.
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| X                           | 33   | Pages of specification including abstract and claims.  |
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